

Approved _____ Mayor

Veto _____

Override _____

Agenda Item A
As Amended
9.17.03

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OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

ORDINANCE NO. 03 187

ORDINANCE APPROVING, ADOPTING AND RATIFYING THE
COUNTYWIDE GENERAL FUND MILLAGE FOR THE FISCAL
YEAR COMMENCING OCTOBER 1, 2003, AND ENDING
SEPTEMBER 30, 2004; LEVYING ALL TAXES SO PROVIDED;
PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
DATE

BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE
COUNTY, FLORIDA:

Section 1. In compliance with the provisions of the Home Rule Charter, the millages
fixed and determined by the Countywide General Fund budget as necessary to be levied in
order to raise the amounts required are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved in every
particular, and the total millage for all County operating purposes is fixed at 5.969 mills on the
dollar of taxable value of all property in Miami-Dade County, Florida, for the 2003-04 fiscal year.
This millage represents a 12.09 percent increase from the state-defined rolled-back rate and is
1.36 percent higher than the 2002-03 fiscal year countywide millage rate.


Section 2. All taxes hereinabove described are hereby levied.

Section 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or provision of this ordinance
is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected by such invalidity.

Section 4. The provisions of this ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after
the date of enactment unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only
upon override by this Board. In the event all or any portions of this ordinance are vetoed, the
remaining portions, if any, shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of enactment and
the portions vetoed shall become effective only upon override by this Board.

Section 5. This ordinance does not contain a sunset provision.

PASSED AND ADOPTED: **SEP 17 2003**

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency. 

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